

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA**

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,**

**Plaintiff,**

**VS.**

## RALPH PEREZ,

**Defendant.**

**CASE NO. 8:12CR136**

## TENTATIVE FINDINGS

The Court has received the Revised Presentence Investigation Report (“PSR”) in this case. The parties have not objected to the PSR. The Defendant filed a motion for downward departure and deviation (Filing No. 40) and a supporting brief (Filing No. 41). See Order on Sentencing Schedule, ¶ 6. The Court advises the parties that these Tentative Findings are issued with the understanding that, pursuant to *United States v. Booker*, 2005 WL 50108 (U.S. Jan. 12, 2005), the sentencing guidelines are advisory.

IT IS ORDERED:

1. The parties are notified that my tentative findings are that the PSR is correct in all respects;
2. The Defendant's motion for downward departure and deviation (Filing No. 40) will be heard at sentencing;
3. If **any** party wishes to challenge these tentative findings, the party shall immediately file in the court file and serve upon opposing counsel and the Court a motion challenging these tentative findings, supported by (a) such evidentiary materials as are required (giving due regard to the requirements of the local rules of practice respecting the submission of evidentiary materials), (b) a brief as to the law, and (c) if an evidentiary

hearing is requested, a statement describing why an evidentiary hearing is necessary and an estimated length of time for the hearing;

4. Absent submission of the information required by paragraph 3 of this Order, my tentative findings may become final; and

5. Unless otherwise ordered, any motion challenging these tentative findings shall be resolved at sentencing.

DATED this 15th day of November, 2012.

BY THE COURT:

S/ Laurie Smith Camp  
Chief United States District Judge